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| For        | : RADICALLY COUPLED PTFE POLYMER COMPOUNDS AND METHOD<br>FOR THE PRODUCTION THEREOF |                          |

**STATEMENT OF INTERVIEW**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

Applicants express appreciation for the courtesies extended by Examiner Buie during a telephone interview with Applicants' representative Arnold Turk on May 12, 2010.

During this interview, Applicants' representative indicated that the Examiner has indicated consideration of foreign language documents of German Patent Document No. 146716 and D.W. Lee, "Ionisierende Strahlen Machen PTFE-Abefälle Wiederverwertbar", Kunststoffe, Vol. 84, pp. 277-278, and 280 (1994), but has crossed through English translations of these documents. The Examiner indicated that the documents along with their English translation have been considered, and it would be duplicative to separately initial consideration of the English translations.

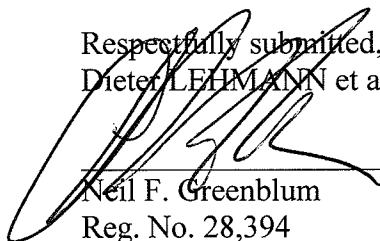
Accordingly, this paper is being submitted to ensure that the record is clear with respect to the Examiner's indication during the above-noted telephone interview that the documents and

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their English translations have been considered, and the English language translations have been crossed through as being duplicative so as not to appear on the face of the issued patent.

Authorization is hereby provided to charge any fee necessary for consideration and/or entry of this paper to Deposit Account No. 19-0089.

Respectfully submitted,  
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